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PART TIME STUDENTS - you can breathe easy for a while!!

At the Board of Governors meeting held on January 8, the following motion was unanimously passed. The replacement of the PTSA by an advisory committee answering to Father Graham has been postponed. The counter proposal to this, which was offered by the Board of Trustees and their advisory council of students has been accepted.

THIS GIVES PART TIME STUDENTS ANOTHER CHANCE AT ELECTIONS THIS SPRING.

(1) In accordance with the recommendation of the Board of Trustees, one final attempt be made to generate student interest and enthusiasm in respect of the activities of the Part Time Students Association (PTSA)

(2) The Trustees allocate such resources of the PTSA as in their discretion appears warranted in the circumstances to generate student interest during such time

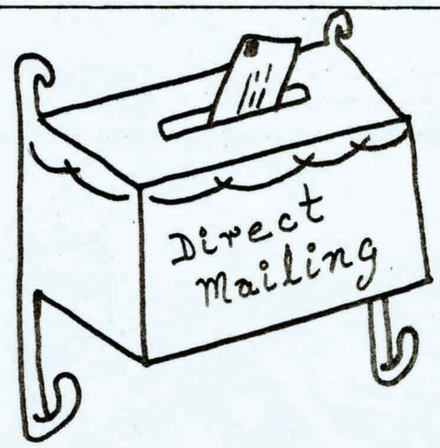
(3) The Trustees continue in office until elections are held in March or April 1976, to fill the elected positions contemplated in the Constitution of the PTSA.

(4) Notwithstanding the terms of the Constitution of the PTSA, such elections shall not proceed unless there shall have been a bona fide contestations for the office of President and for a majority in number of the other elected positions contemplated therein.

(5) The constitution of the PTSA shall not come into effect nor shall the candidates receiving a plurality of the votes cast in respect of contested positions be considered elected if fewer than 800 students eligible to vote shall have cast votes for the purpose of electing each of the candidates for the office of President and contested offices of First Vice President, Second Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer.

(6) Should requirements of paragraphs (4) and (5) not be met the PTSA shall cease to exist effective upon the next meeting of the Board of Governors upon such terms and conditions as shall be determined by the Board of Governors at such time, its Constitution shall be revoked and considerations shall be given to alternate means of ensuring that part time students are adequately represented in all appropriate areas of University life; and

(7) The proposal pertaining to the PTSA tabled by the Rector be held in abeyance pending the outcome of the foregoing.



This, and forthcoming issues of the Concordian will be direct mailings. We realize that it is inconvenient for part time students to always pick up a copy in time, and in order to save you any disappointment, we are mailing you a copy.

There have been a few requests for the first issue dated January 8; so if you too missed picking up your copy from the stands, call Lyn Trotman at 879-2832 or drop into the office (H-603).

The Editor.

ENGINEERING...

The Canadian Society for Mechanical Engineering, Concordia University Branch, invites student membership from the part time students section of Concordia.

Membership offers many advantages, such as, participation at engineering functions, events,etc. regular newsletter; engineering journal, issued by the Engineering Institute of Canada; industrial visits and tours, seminars, etc.

Students are encouraged to take an active interest in this Society. For further information call Trevor Anderson at 879-7342 or 336-4951.

ATTENTION
ALL
SKATERS!!

There will be no skating at the Loyola Campus Skating Rink on February 8.

SEE YOU ON FEBRUARY 15 !!

we feel the flow
of touch
as such
with stroke of brush
glows an image
later year
we have no tear
easel stands alone
canvas white
no stain tonight
the painter is not
home .....

(by John O'Brien - Montreal cab driver)

Got a Problem ?

In response to the many queries regarding "more information about the PTSA", the Part Time Students Association have decided to send out a letter, very shortly, via an issue of the Concordian, to all part time students, which will bring you up-to-date, on PTSA affairs.

Keep your letters (problems!!) coming in.

Bob Evans.

There was a fire at Fort and Tupper Streets a few days ago. Two Pakistani students were burnt-out. One is a part time student. They lost everything in the fire - so if you have any clothes, furniture, books, food, anything, which may help, please get in touch with Judy Stymest, Financial Aid Officer, SGW, at 879-5983.

We would like to hear your comments. If you are interested in working on THE CONCORDIAN, please call the office at 879-2832 or drop in (H-603).

WE NEED YOU !!

"NO SMOKING"

We quote a letter from J.W. O'Brien, Rector and Vice-Chancellor, addressed to all full-time and part-time faculty members, of Concordia.

"Smoking, which may be a pleasure for some people, is a source of serious discomfort for their fellows. Further, medical authorities express their concern about the effect of smoking on the health not only of those who smoke, but also those who must involuntarily inhale the contribution of the smokers to the atmosphere.

As you are doubtless aware, a considerable number of our students have joined together in an effort to persuade the university to ban smoking in the classrooms. I believe they are entirely right in their aim. However, I would hope it is possible to achieve this by an appeal to reason and to concern for others rather than by regulation.

Smoking is prohibited by City by-laws in theatres and in halls used for showing films as well as in laboratories where there may be a fire hazard. Elsewhere, it is up to our own good sense.

I am therefore asking you to maintain "No Smoking" in the auditoria, classrooms and seminar rooms where you teach. This proof of your interest for their health and well-being is very important to a large number of students."

WHAT'S HAPPENING -- S P O R T S

Here are the upcoming intercollegiate home games for the month of February.

HOCKEY
Men - ranked No.1 in Canada
Thurs. Feb. 5th - McGill - 8 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 13th - Bishops - 8 p.m.
Sun. Feb. 15th - Laval - 2 p.m.
Wed. Feb. 18th - Bishops - 8 p.m.

BASKETBALL
Men - ranked 10th in Canada
Tues. Feb. 10th - Bishops - 8 p.m.

HOCKEY
Women
Tues. Feb. 10th - Bishops - 6 p.m.
Fri. Feb. 13th - U.Q.T.R.- 6 p.m.

SO GET OUT AND SUPPORT YOUR SCHOOL TEAM, AND HAVE A GREAT TIME! All these games are free to ALL students when you present I.D. cards. ALL the games are played at the Loyola Athletic Complex.

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